HRC recommends Women's Commission

By PAT WIDDER

OAKLAND — The Alameda County Human Relations Commission recommended a full-fledged Commission on the Status of Women be established by the board of supervisors late Wednesday afternoon.

Following that 6-3 recommendation for a commission rather than a committee within the HRC framework, the commission also approved the following conditions:

— That the new commission be staffed within the Human Relations Department on a $40,000 budget (rather than the $80,000 originally proposed);

— That the commission be composed of 15 members, 10 appointed by the board of supervisors "who shall reflect the diverse ethnic, sociological and economic characteristics of Alameda County", and one each from the Human Relations Commission, Welfare Commission, Juvenile Delinquency Commission, Health Care Services and the Alameda County Mayor's Conference.

Commissioners also urged the supervisors to "include babysitting costs as an allowable reimbursement expense" for all county commissioners, male and female.

The motion for a Commission on the Status of Women with the reduced budget and staffing, amounts that were originally proposed for a committee, was proposed by Commissioner Ken Kofman and the compromise appeared to sway several commissioners who were leaning towards recommending a committee because of the expense a commission would involve.

Commissioner Shirley Sisk, who has been criticized by women's groups for her part in preparing the HRC report, was one of the three who voted against a commission.

"I think the job can be done by a committee," she said and added, "Until the state gives us the funds to do the job they say should be done, we have to work with the available funds." She also said she believed a commission might duplicate efforts already underway.

Commissioner Richard Alexander also opposed the motion, saying he found it "inconsistent" that women believed the HRC could handle other social problems but not women's problems. "I don't know what makes women so unique," he added. "They have problems but they are the same ones Blacks have been facing for years."

The fact that women want their own commission does not reflect a lack of confidence in the HRC, Commissioner Sandra Gaines said, but rather it is an awareness of what needs to be done. She added as more county commissions for women are formed, pressure might be brought to bear on the state to help fund those activities.

Chairman Charles Oliver believed "motivation" was an essential element in insuring a good job and he believed a commission would give women the motivation necessary.

Commissioner Effie Burgess said she would have opposed the commission with the $80,000 budget originally proposed but voted in favor of it with the reduced budget.

Commissioner Michael Rossi was the third dissenting vote. "I can see no concrete evidence on the county level that a commission could do what a committee can't do," he said and added he might be wrong and if so, it would be "easier to go from a committee to a commission rather than to take a step backward."

The Human Relations Commission recommendation is expected to come before the board of supervisors for a final decision within three weeks.

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Weather

Partly cloudy with a 60 per cent chance of rain. Cooler, with the high in the 40s and 50s. The low in the 30s and 40s. Westerly winds 15 to 25 miles per hour.

VCSD looking for hookup candidates

DUBLIN — Valley Community Services District will advertise for applicants for additional sewer capacity when a current project now underway is completed, VCSD directors have agreed.

VCSD General Manager Paul Ryan told the board Tuesday advertising could begin with connections to the plant contingent upon completion of corrections in the Hopyard Road sewer lines.

The entire priority list should be advertised, the board agreed.

Ryan said earlier advertising drew less response than anticipated with only part of the available connections reserved.

Priorities were set when sewer capacity was frozen by regional water agencies. Agencies and developers clamored for connections to the plant which was already filled to capacity.

Completion of the Hopyard Road project and the December delivery of improved water from Zone 7 water district have made the additional capacity possible, Ryan said.

In other action Tuesday, VCSD directors approved a 9.5 per cent salary increase for district firefighters. The increase places salaries on the Dublin force between those of Livermore and Pleasanton firefighters, district finance director Newell Cummings said.

The agreement, made Tuesday morning, provides a salary range from $1,015 to $1,233 for local firefighters.

Directors also Tuesday agreed to oppose proposed closing of the Foothill interchange off I 580 while CalTrans begins widening of the highway.

The board at the request of Director Dick Fahey agreed to urge the offramp be left open.

193 acres may be open space

Twenty seven parcels totalling 193 acres will be locked into one agricultural preserve if that move by 21 separate ownerships meets with approval of the Alameda County Board of Supervisors.

All of the land is located along Foothill Road, north of Sunol.

The county board has called for a Jan. 23 public hearing to hear the request. While not the largest piece of ground to be considered for designation as permanent open space, the 21 ownerships involved in this application present a unique approach to the state program designed to protect agricultural land from the burden of urban taxation.

Included in the application, together with an approximation of their acreage, are these Foothill Road property owners: Manuel Santos, 34 acres; Henry M. Silva, 11; Mildred Gronley, 5.7; William E. Peluso, 9.8; Richard and Joanne Carter, 6; Samuel and Lucille Roddy, 1; Dorothy and Clarence Hirt, 3.7; John and Eleanor Alford, 13.7; Harold and Nancy Lawden, 6; Isabel Brown, 5; Noble and Mary Stansbury, 2.8; Wilfred and Jessie Bentham, 2.8; Katherine Heitman, 5.4; Lynn and Louise Bowers, 8.7; Carl and Mona Davis, 8.7; Esther Fults 10; Carol and Maurice Quinn, 16; David and Betty Harris, 7; Lawrence and Mary Holmes, 30; Richard and Jean Brown, 1.7; Henry Schneider, 5.7.

(Times Photo by Dave Dornlas)

It never rains in California . . .

Winter rains have finally arrived in the valley bringing with them the green hills and flatlands that help to make the Livermore - Amador Valley one of the most beautiful spots in Alameda County.

VCSD moves on community park plan

By CATHY MOSS

DUBLIN — Acquisition of some 10.8 acres at Montevideo Road for a community park was authorized Tuesday as Valley Community Services District Directors moved to complete a five-year park development plan.

Directors approved purchase of the property from Boise - Cascade for some 16,000 an acre.

The additional acreage will form a 20 acre community park to be called Athan Downs.

The decision to proceed with acquisition came as directors accepted a recommendation for further San Ramon park development.

The plan drawn by the VCSD parks committee, VCSD General was Manager Paul Ryan, citizens parks committee chairman Ed Lee and San Ramon Unified School District officials.

The proposal, to be aired in a public hearing Jan 14 at 8 p.m. at Walt Disney School provides that:

—VCSD to acquire 23 acres of land adjacent to California High School now owned by the San Ramon school district at a cost of $235,000

—The school district use the proceeds to purchase five acres of Seeno land to enlarge the intermediate school site on Pine Valley Road, allowing for development of playing fields in the center of the community.

The proposal allows open space in the community center while preserving open space on Broadmoor. The land would be sold eventually by school district, the parks committee said in recommending the proposal.

It also allows the school district to proceed with an intermediate school officials say is needed in the community. Without the plan, the district is dependent upon passage of a new bond election.

The proposal also leaves VCSD the option of selling some of the Broadmoor land in the future at an estimated $6000 to $9000 per lot.

Board president and parks committee member Lila Euler said the school district cannot sell the unimproved land. The arrangement would allow VCSD to move more quickly with park development plans, she added.

The board agreed to send the plan along to the Jan. 14 hearing for community consideration.

Development could be funded if the district voters approve a 39 cent per $100 assessed valuation tax hike as approved by directors Tuesday, directors said.

The approval could generate some $1,860,000 during the first year of taxation.

The hike would mean a $1.69 cent rate for the special services district voters.

In approving the election, directors said the rate should be made permanent to add an element of stability to parks development in the district.

Directors went to voters in 1970 for a $2.3 million bond issue to provide for park development.

A subsequent sewer freeze cut off maintenance funds for the two pools and Shannon Community Center funded through the issue.

Voters when casting ballots on May 27 on the new measure will be deciding on parks questions for the second time in two years.

Directors in deciding to approve an permanent hike instead of a five—year limit said the ongoing park support would take care of future needs.

"By 1980 there will be new needs," Euler said.

Directors need not levy the full 39 cents, district counsel told the board. As needs decrease, the figure could be dropped.

The measure will require a simple majority to pass.

Kaiser plant to disband in Sunol

The Kaiser Sand and Gravel Division of Kaiser Industries Corporation announced today that it is discontinuing operations at its lightweight aggregate plant near Sunol in southern Alameda County.

Arnold Abrott, general manager of the division, cited increased operating losses as the prime reason for the closing. He said, "Fuel costs have risen sharply in the last year and we have also experienced interruptions in service. These factors, coupled with drastic increases in costs of electrical energy and operating supplies, have added to our past losses beyond the point of justification'"

The plant uses 'large quantities of natural gas to expand raw shale into ceramic lightweight aggregate. Processing of material will continue until the end of January. Finished product already in inventory will be shipped to customers over the next few months'

Kaiser Sand and Gravel built the facility in 1966 to produce a special type of aggregate for use where structural loads are a factor. The plant employs an average of 25 persons. All of those not being relocated within the company will receive full termination benefits.

ABAG to eye New Town

BERKELEY — An Association of Bay Area Governments planning committee will join a staff panel in a full review of Las Positas New Town, ABAG officials agreed late Wednesday.

A full report is due at the March 12 meeting.

Meeting in afternoon session at the Hotel Claremont here, the ABAG regional planning committee agreed to proceed with the study.

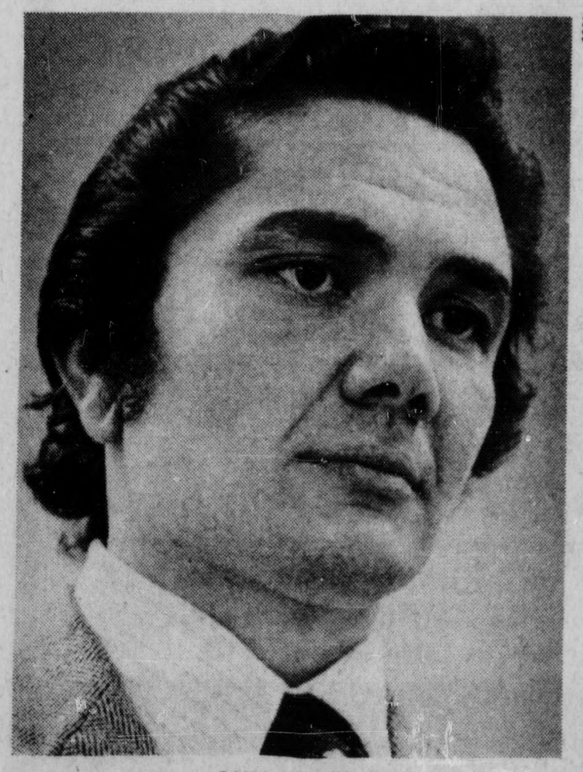
Should the findings determine Las Positas would have harmful environmental effects on the region, ABAG's opposition to the project could permanently deny federal funding for the elaborate development.

The obstacle could be one of many facing the 9000 acre development. The Alameda County Water District has already opposed the plan based on concerns for pollution of the Alameda Creek watershed.

Committee members agreed Wednesday to allow development instigator Harlan Geldermann of Danville a 45 minute presentation before the group at its Feb. 5 meeting.

Geldermann has proposed an industrial, commercial and residentially planned community north of Livermore with a population of 45,000 by the end of the 20 year planning period.

In urging a full review be conducted on the proposal, the hearing committee of ABAG said the project would conflict with regional policies which dicourages projects that present "probability of hazard to life and property."



GUY PUCCIO
Taking on the assessor and LAFCO

Puccio finds it tougher this time around

By PAT WIDDER

Love may be lovelier the second time around, as the song goes, but Guy Puccio is finding his pursuit of a second straight Republican nomination for the 15th Assembly District seat more difficult than his first attempt.

Puccio ran unopposed in the June primary before losing to the late Carlos Bee in November but, in the Feb. 4 special election called following Bee's death, the 34-year-old Castro Valley businessman and educator faces tough opposition from longtime Hayward Councilman George Oakes.

As the only two Republicans in the "primary" race, Puccio and Oakes must battle each other for a spot on the March run-off ballot.

Considering the predominance of Democratic registrations in the district, Puccio ran a surprisingly strong race against Bee in November, capturing 39 percent of the vote.

Puccio characterizes himself as a "fiscal conservative and a humanitarian liberal" and admits he is not the first choice of some members of the local Republican Committee who prefer a " more ideologically pure conservative."

Puccio, however, has been active in Republican politics for a decade, serving on the state and county Republican Central Committees, and was a delegate to the 1972 Republican National Convention.

He believes local governments should have a much greater say in local land use control and should not have policies dictated by Sacramento or Washington.

As a means of giving local communities more control, Puccio challenges the current assessment practices which, he claims, encourage premature development and the concurrent demise of southern Alameda County's traditional ranching industry.

Rather than have agricultural properties taxed according to their potential use, as is the practice now, Puccio would like to see those properties taxed only on their current use.

The present system "drives out space-oriented uses," Puccio said, "and creates a great deal of pressure" for development.

As a member of the Alameda County Assessment Appeals Board from 1969 to 1972, Puccio said he encountered many cases where ranchers were not able to hold on to their lands because of drastically increased property taxes. He believes the Williamson Act, which allows ranchers to place large parcels of land into agricultural preserves, is a valid concept but does not think it "addressed the problem of use."

Under Puccio's proposal, taxes on agricultural land would be drastically increased only when development occurred. That would increase the developer's tax burden, he admits, but would reduce the cost he would have to pay for the land itself.

Since the policies of the county assessor are mandated by the state, Puccio believes he could help effect a change in Sacramento.

Along that same line of local control of growth, Puccio said he is "opposed to the current operation of the Local Agency Formation Commission" which he believes is "growth-oriented by its nature" and is weighted with too many urban members who do not understand the problems of suburbia.

Unless it can be re-directed, Puccio said, "I would be inclined to abolish it."

Puccio is particularly opposed to the LAFCO decision to remove the Las Positas Valley from Livermore's sphere of influence, which paved the way for Harlan Geldermann to successfully present his New Town proposal to the Alameda County Board of Supervisors.

"The difficulty with New Town," Puccio said, "is it will add another public entity to the valley and it won't be selfsustaining." He believes the Las Positas Valley "should be within the sphere of influence of Livermore." He also questioned "Geldermann's ability to perform" in creating a self-sustaining community. "Dublin may have started out that way," he noted, "but it never really was a good plan."

Puccio said he agreed with many of former Governor Ronald Reagan's policies but believes the governor went too far in some of his budget trimming reforms.

"I don't want to see abuses in the welfare system," he said, "but I am equally concerned with an adequate sustenance for senior citizens and the disabled."

Puccio also disagreed with Reagan's attempts to close down state mental hospitals. "The idea was sound," he said, but there was not an adequate alternative.

Puccio said he is "generally opposed to regional government" because it creates as "added layer of government" but does see a need for "coordinated governments" perhaps by merging the plethora of regional agencies that attempt to govern the Bay Area.

Puccio is a real estate appraiser and consultant, serves as president of two Hayward real estate brokerage and investment firms and is a part-time instructor at Chabot College and Anthony Schools. He and his wife, Katherine, have four children.

Sign projects win unit okay

PLEASANTON — The Design Review Board approved a sign program for the Valley Plaza commercial complex at the intersection of Valley Avenue and Santa Rita Road Wednesday night.

Hank Cupples, the applicant, indicated, however, he may appeal the decision to the city council because he believes it is too restrictive.

Among the conditions attached to the board approval is the provision that the complex have uniform signs and Cupples told the board, "we have some national tenants who wouldn't want to go along with that. The city can't afford to lose those tenants."

Cupples has 15 days to appeal.

In other action the board approved signs for a 7-11 food store at 3760 Hopyard Road, and for the El Rancho Motel and Restaurant located at 2025 Santa Rita Road.

School finances reported sound

PLEASANTON — The Pleasanton Elementary School District, which serves 24,000 lunches per month, is running a $13,200 deficit to date.

However, Doug Rose, assistant superintendent of business services, believes the food services program for the district will realize a profit by the end of the school year.

He said last night the district shows a "paper" profit of $4,600, but adjusting expenditures puts the food services program into the deficit column.

Rose also reported on the financial status of the district, noting that this is the third year the district has been in deficit financing.

Rose said the estimated ending balance is $370,735 and added that estimated expenditures are $200,000 less than expected.

Total ADA is 5,426, including 5,206 in K-8 classes.

In other business, Mrs. Gloria Jones gave a preliminary report on the state testing program. The report shows that Pleasanton second, third and sixth grade students, in reading, are well within the predicted range of scores.

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Trivia Teasers

Following a two-week hiatus for the holidays we're back with more brain-spinners. Also, a renewed invitation for those wishing to send in a favorite trivia question (and answer). They may be sent to TRIVIA TEASERS Editor, c/o The Times, P.O. Box 188, Pleasanton 94566.

I. Who wrote the words to the song "I left my heart in San Francisco"?

II. What is the name of the "Uncle" in "The Nutcracker"?

III. Name of character portrayed by Humphrey Bogart in movie "Casablanca."

IV. Who played Part of Cpl. Agarn on television's "F Troop"?

V. Golden State Warriors center George Johnson played his college basketball at what school?

VI. Who was the starting third baseman for the first Giants team in San Francisco?

VII. Who was quarterback for Baltimore the year they played in Super Bowl against the New York Jets?

VIII. What are the first names of the Andrews Sisters?

IX. Who was quarterback at Notre Dame when Knut Rockne was a player there?

X. Name of the late Congressman from New York, who was also a controversial personality and church minister.

Valley obituary

Thomas Matney

Thomas Isaac Matney, a 15 year resident of Livermore, passed away Wednesday in a local convalescent hopsital.

A native of Mansfield, Missouri, the 72 year old retired dry cleaning operator is survived by his wife, Yun Jin, of Livermore, a brother, Norman, of Sacramento, and a sister, Mrs. Verba Auten, also of Livermore.

In addition, he leaves four nephews and two nieces.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m., Friday, in Callaghan Mortuary, 3833 East Ave., where friends may call after 11 a.m. Thursday.

Interment at Memory Gardens Cemetery, Livermore, will follow the services.

The family has requested contributions in his memory to the American Cancer Society.

SRV builders optimistic

By JOHN KEARNS

The building industry should begin picking up in mid - 1975, according to San Ramon Valley developers.

Dwight Pate, project manager for the Devil Mountain Development Company which has a subdivision planned for San Ramon Valley, said the largest impact to date has been on lower cost housing. He sees an improvement in new home sales beginning in June.

High interest rates and tight money, said Pate, is "beginning to break up now and more money should be in circulation in six months."

He said money released by lower interest rates probably will not go into new construction for about six months as it will go instead toward completed or nearly completed homes.

"What the federal government does will be interesting to watch," said Pate. "Ford says the government will take action that will ease the tight money situation."

Pate predicts that new construction could be aided in the last two quarters of 1975, when funds that have been going into the completion of existing homes are freed.

He said fluctuating interest rates have hurt the building industry and that many people can't buy low cost housing due to difficulties in qualifying for loans.

The industry has not been hurt in the $100,000 and up home market, Pate said, because people purchasing homes of that price are not as affected by the economy as are those in the lower cost home market.

San Ramon Valley, he added, will continue to be a desirable area of the county for residential living.

The Danville - Alamo area, he said, has not suffered in home sales as much as the southern portion of the valley, such as San Ramon and Dublin.

Most homes in the Danville - Alamo area are higher priced than those in the southern valley, he said.

"The cost of money will have to go down," said Pate, "because the cost of homes will not." He predicts that homes will go up in cost in 1975 or, at the best, stay about the same.

He said action on the part of the federal government will be needed to stimulate the building industry and help the economy in the second half of 1975.

"A variety of things need to be done," he said, "to reduce interest rates and loosen money."

Chuck Block, president of Crown Construction Company in Danville, said his firm has seen improvement already.

"Sales and general activity improved in December," said Block, who predicts that demand for housing may exceed supply in 1975.

He said a long start - up time will be required by builders who stopped their operations for long periods of time. That, he said, will reduce the number of homes on the market.

San Ramon Valley, he said, is a sophisticated market that realizes that prices "aren't going to go down." Crown Construction builds custom and production homes in the valley.

Lee Babbitt, director of planning and engineering for Leadership Homes of Northern California, said he hopes the industry will improve by the second quarter of the year.

He said he is waiting for comments on the economy by President Ford and hopes that the federal government will "loosen things up a bit." He said a tax cut and lowering of interest rates would improve the housing industry.

Leadership, he said, feels "demand for houses is here" and is moving along with advance project planning. The firm, he said, is moving a number of projects to the point where they can be begun and then will watch the economy to pick the best possible time to start construction.

Many of the company's projects should begin in the spring, he added.

He said a 10 per cent increase in home sales is expected by his company in 1975. He added that San Ramon Valley is a strong market and that home sales remain relatively stable there.

"It's a crystal ball deal," said Babbitt, "but we expect a gradual increase in sales.

Park committee to meet

A San Ramon Valley citizens committee on parks and recreation will discuss its relations with the local school district at a meeting Monday.

The Citizens Advisory Committee for County Service Area R - 7 San Ramon Valley Parks and Recreation will also consider the hiring of a park consultant and consider the location of future park sites.

The committee will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the Vista Grande School library, 667 Diablo Road, Danville.

Sea tests

Navy Operation Specialist Third Class Ruben Dominguez Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Dominguez of 3720 Casa Grande Drive, San Ramon, participated in an amphibious training exercise off the coast of Mindoro Island in the central Philippines.

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State offices go to local women

lifestyle

By LILLY AULT

Mrs. George Walker, Livermore and Mrs. Gordon Rasmussen, Pleasanton, were elected treasurer and first vice president of the California Cowbelles at the State Convention held at the Sheraton Harbor Island Hotel in San Diego recently.

Both ladies are members of the American National Cowbelles and their local group, The Alameda County Cowbelles. Each has been honored by the local association for outstanding service and given the Cowbelle of the Year Award.

Mrs. Rasmussen, long active in Cowbelle work has served as president of the local group. She is interested in industry information work, is chairman of the local speakers bureau and gives many demonstrations about beef, its uses, how to buy and how to prepared inexpensive servings of beef.

Mrs. Rasmussen anticipates no changes in the operation of the association. "We will continue to educate the public on how to use beef, how to cut,to save and what to do with the less expensive cuts of meat," she remarked. "Most of us get into a rut in using the same pieces of meat when we could utilize better the less expensive cuts as well as the more expensive cuts of meat," she said.

In regards to the new "baby beef" that has come onto the market. Mrs. Rasmussen feels the public needs to be educated on this as well. "The meat is just as nutritcious as the cuts of meat the public is more familiar with," she stated, "but it does have a little bit of a different flavor, is leaner and requires a different method of cooking."

She feels the baby beef is an ideal beef for the senior citizen and the small family. Baby beef is more for the smaller cuts of meat while the steer is better for large roast, etc.

Baby beef comes from an animal approximately 600 pounds while the more familiar beef comes from a steer weighing in the vicinity of 1,000 pounds. Veal comes from a calf weighing approximately 250 pounds.

With the two differnt meats available, Mrs. Rasmussen feels it will help the consumer as well as the producer in meeting the high rising cost to both.

Mrs. Walker has served as treasurer of the local group, is a charter member of the Alameda County Cowbelles and has served on many committees.

MRS. GORDON RASMUSSEN, MRS. GEORGE WALKER
California Cowbelles' new first vice president and treasurer.

Project Involve will offer referral service for families of retarded

Many minority and low-income families face the additional burdens of mental retardation or developmental disabilities in a family member.

An outreach program sponsored by the California Association for the Retarded can now help these families locate services

(C.A.R.) available to them in their local area

Through "Project Involve," recently financed by the California State Department of Health, two outreach workers will put needy families in contact with the state's 65 local units of C.A.R. as well as other organizations.

Community awareness committees within each unit will also be organized through the outreach program to guarantee continued local referral service.

"With such a structure it will be possible to contact a far greater number of needy individuals," explains William Green, C.A.R. executive director." Also, effective outreach programs can continue long after the termination of the grant, through the creation of permanent local committees."

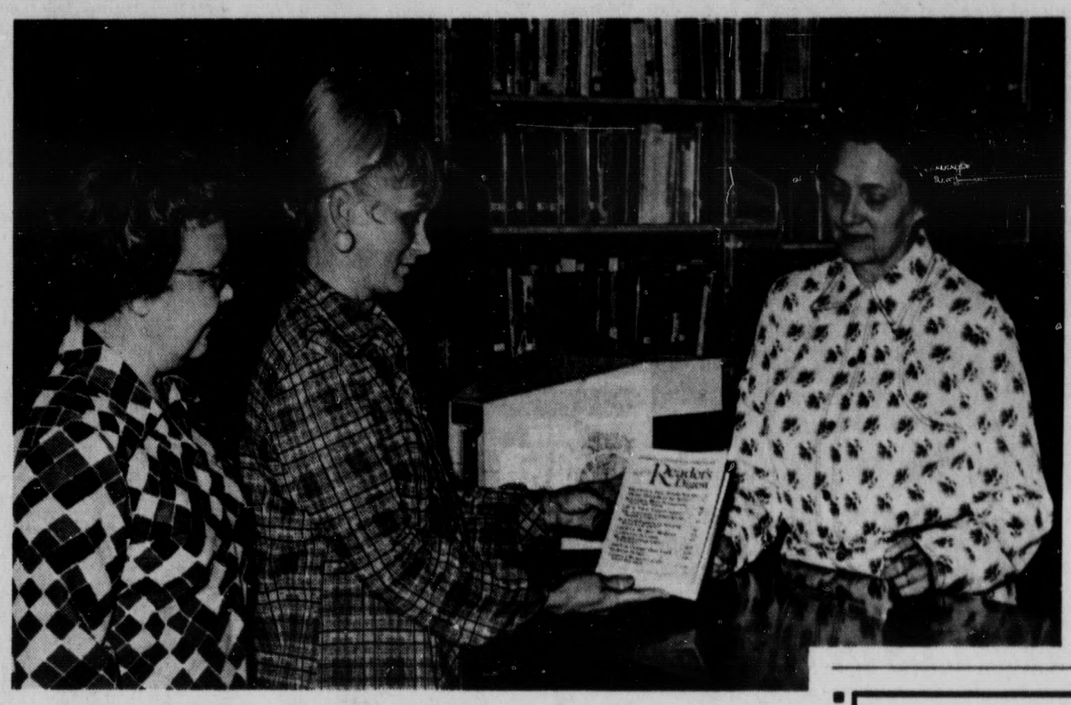
The project is funded for one year, and will be evaluated by the number of minority and low-income families aided by outreach workers.

Recruiting the families involved into organizations which serve the retarded and developmentally disabled will be another goal of outreach workers.

MR slide report

The National Association for Retarded Citizens research report, a tape and slide presentation, will be shown at the Jan. 14 meeting of the Twin Valley chapter of the Alameda County Association for the Mentally Retarded.

The 8 p.m. program at the Crestwood Lodge, Fenton Ave., Livermore, is open to the public. For information call 443-8184.



Large type Digest donated

Kappa Gamma chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha is donating a one-year subscription of Reader's Digest, large print edition, to the Livermore Library. Presenting the first issue to Dorothy Bridges are Virginia Smith and Rae Sveen, members of the sorority. This special edition, which will now be available to the public, is printed for the reading enjoyment of anyone whose sight problems prevent them from reading standard magazine type. Kappa Gammas are currently serving as volunteers in the Library's service to shut-ins program. They have previously donated strollers for use in the library, among other philanthropic projects.

Peel plans poker party pretty soon

A Poker Party sponsored by Mike Peel, Mardi Gras King Candidate, will be held Wednesday, Jan. 15, at 8:30 p.m. at Franklin Savings and Loan, Pleasanton.

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'50's Fling brings back oldies

A 50's Fling sponsored by Mardi Gras candidates Peggy Shoemaker and Mike Peel will be held Saturday, Jan. 18, 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. at the Veterans' Memorial Building, Main and Bernal Streets, Pleasanton. Admission is a $3 donation.

Music will be presented by Pleasanton's own '50s Disc Jockey, Harry Kerr, with his personal collection of popular hits of the '50's.

The public is invited and urged to wear "oldie but goodie" costumes from that era and to participate in the dress contest.

Dance contest such as the bop and the mashed potatoe will be held.

Advanced tickets are available by calling 846-5195 or 846-3955.

History of a star at Planetarium

Pulsars, neutron stars, white dwarfs and binary stars are only a few of the astronomical mysteries explained in "The Winter Hunting Scene," being presented Tuesday and Friday evenings through Jan. 31 at the Chabot College Planetarium.

"The life history of a star will be featured in the show," says Planetarium Director Larry Toy. Toy will discuss the constellations and stars visible in the winter heavens, and will conduct an imaginary trip to the North Pole to see the Aurora Borealis.

Those who wish to learn to identify the constellations will find "The Winter Hunting Scene" of special interest, according to Toy.

Admission is free. For reservations call 782-3000, ext. 415. The Planetarium is located on the Chabot campus, 2555 Hesperian Blvd., Hayward.

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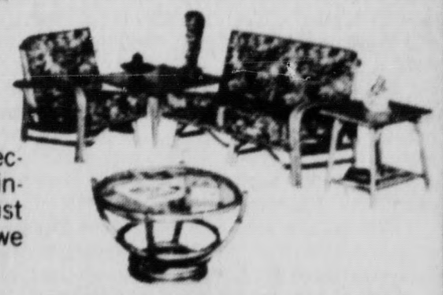
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LAA announces Spring Art Show dates

Livermore Art Association members are preparing for their 18th Annual Spring Art Show, Feb. 8 and 9, to feature artists of all levels of advancement in oil, watercolor, graphics and mixed media, textiles, stitchery, pottery, jewelry and sculpture.

Entries will be made in two categories, Ecclesiastical and General. Ribbons for first, second, third place and honorable mention will be awarded at the judges' discretion, with special honors for Best in Category and Most Popular.

In keeping with the policies of the LAA, all works submitted will be shown unless they are determined to be objectionable to public taste. This policy will give the beginning artist, as well as the more experienced artist, an opportunity to publicly display their work, to be judged by professionals and thus to develop in a chosen media.

All entries must be original in concept, execution and design, with no work done under supervision accepted. All paintings must be framed and ready to hang Each artist is limited to two entries.

Entry forms may be obtained from The Way Up Gallery and the Art Zebra in Livermore, and Warren Wade Art Etc. in Pleasanton. Entry fee is $2 per entry for LAA members, and $3 for non-members.

Artists are asked to bring their entries to The Barn, 3131 Pacific Ave., Livermore on Jan. 30 from 4 to 9 p.m., and Jan. 31 from noon to 4 p.m.

The Spring Art Show will open at St. Bartholomew's Episcopal Church in Livermore Feb. 8 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and continues Feb. 9 from noon until 5 p.m.

The public is invited to the show's preview Feb. 7 from 7 to 10 p.m.

General show chairman is Sarah Boone. Judges of the event are Terry St. John, assistant curator of the Oakland Art Museum; Jane Burnham, instructor in oil, acrylics, watercolor and air brush; and Patricia E. Mervin, teacher specializing in drawing, painting and graphics.

STIMULATING BLEND OF STYLES, THEMES, COLORS
Artists Jo Coleman and Barbara Joan Smith of Pleasanton.

Joint artistic effort at Rhodes

The Collector's Group III, Ltd., is a trio of artists who have joined to exhibit their work this month in the foyer of Rhodes in Dublin.

Two of the artists, Barbara Joan Smith and Jo Coleman, are Pleasanton residents. The third, Marjorie Nichols, lives in the artist colony of Tubac, Arizona.

The unique grouping of oils, watercolors, and Batik paintings, with a display of novel ceramic Toltec Indian jewelry, is sponsored by The Valley Artists of Dublin.

"We hoped that by banding together we could produce a much more exciting show — a stimulating blend of styles, themes and colors," explains Barbara Joan.

Barbara Joan, born the daughter of an artist, absorbed a variety of artistic styles from her mother's friends, many of whom were internationally - known painters. This variety of contacts may have allowed her to develop her individual style free from a dependence on one dominant teacher.

The influence of her geographic surroundings in Arizona, California and Hawaii, has led to her flower, fruit and figure paintings in a French Impressionist style, and to her portraits of Mexican and Indian children which have been described as tender, endearing, soft and luminous.

Her work has been accepted by galleries in Kansas City, Missouri; Taos, New Mexico; Tubac and Phoenix, Arizona; Southern California and the Bay Area. Her oils and pastels continue to be acquired by collectors in the United States and abroad.

Jo Coleman is considered the 'mood' painter of the group, having developed a dynamic style of painting accentuating an idea rather than actual representation of her subject.

Her work has often been described as 'haunting and compelling. Patterns of land, shore and space are often harmonized in mono-chromes to reflect an intense involvement with the drama of nature.

Formerly a professional draftsman, Jo has exhibited her paintings since 1965. Her art has been included in exhibits at San Francisco's De Young Museum, Santa Clara's De Saisett Gallery, and the Pioneer Museum and Haggin Galleries in Stockton.

Her formal training includes courses at the California College of Arts and Crafts, Oakland, and the University of California at Berkeley.

The third member of the group, Marjorie Nichols, is the creator of the Indian jewelry on display beginning Jan. 20 through the end of the exhibit.

Marjorie has taken her theme from 2,000-year-old ceramic heads discovered at the Toltec 'Pyramid of the Sun' near Mexico City. The artist has developed this concept into a unique collection of glazed ceramic pendants, rings, gauntlets and bolo ties.

Best noted for her watercolor interpretations of the Southwest, Marjorie has studied with Dale Nichols, her former husband, and with Mortimer Wilson.

All of the art on display at the Dublin show may be purchased through Rhodes.

Gold Rush exhibit at Fairgrounds Museum

The story of the California Gold Rush will be told in an exhibit at the Amador-Livermore Valley Historical Society Museum from Jan. 13 through February.

Life in a gold camp, how the 49'ers got there, and mining methods will illustrated with artifacts from the collection of Dick Payne of Livermore and from the Oakland Museum.

The museum is located on the Alameda County Fairgrounds and is open to the public from noon to 4 p.m., Tuesday through Friday. Special group tours may be arranged through Ann Lewis, museum curator, at 462-2766, or Kathy Blackwood. Docent coordinator, at 846-4704.

Chabot: art film series

"The Garden of the Finzi-Continis,' a film about anti-semitism in Mussolini's Italy, will be shown Jan. 15 as the first feature of the winter quarter art film series at Chabot College Auditorium in Hayward.

The series, open to the public at no charge, will offer three other films: 'The Prince and the Showgirl' with Sir Lawrence Olivier and Marilyn Monroe Feb. 5; 'Marjoe,' the story of an evangelical circuit rider Feb. 19; and 'Savages,' an imaginative tale of the ascent of 'mud people' from savagery to sophistication, March 12.

All films will be shown at 7:30 p.m., to be followed by an analysis and discussion of the presentation by Mr. Eugene Marker, Chabot instructor and long-time scholar on film art.

Ryan offers portrait demo

Frederick Ryan, S.W.A., Santa Clara artist, will be the guest speaker at a Jan. 14 meeting of The Valley Artists at Fredericksen Elementary, Tamarack Drive, Dublin.

Ryan, highly praised by experts in his field for portraits and landscapes, will demonstrate the techniques of oil portrait painting. The demonstration is open to the public.

Ryan's work has been exhibited in the Paris Salon and the United States Students and Artists Club in Paris. In this country his work has been shown at the De Young Museum and the Palace of the Fine Arts in San Francisco.

Born on Prince Edward Island, Canada, Ryan has studied at the Ecole des Beaux-Arts in Paris, and privately with Louis-Francois Biloul. His works have also been influenced by the celebrated Parisian portrait artist, Jacques-Emile Blanch, a protege of Manet, Vegas and Renoir.

inside the arts

Playhouse auditions 'Dames at Sea'

Auditions for the Pleasanton Playhouse spring production of "Dames at Sea" will be held Monday and Tuesday evenings, Jan. 13 and 14, at 7:30 p.m. in the Veterans Memorial Building.

The play will be presented on March 7, 8, 9, 14, 15, 16. 22 and 23, according to the announcement from the Pleasanton Recreation Department.

"Dames" is a parody bursting with the campy nostalgia of the Hollywood musicals of the thirties. This loving look at the singing, dancing, gee - whiz Busby Berkeley era is set in "Big Time" New York.

Into the scene wanders a sweet little hometown girl, straight off the bus with her dancing shoes in her suitcase. And who should she chance to meet but the hometown boy, now a sailor, who has some ambitions as a songwriter.

The heroine, Ruby, begins in the chorus, of course, while the star, a stage vampire who twists men around her little finger, flirts with the sailor and rocks the boat of true love. But in the true happy - ending Hollywood style of the day, the songwriting sailor saves the show with a smash tune and the hometown girl achieves stardom by singing it on the deck of a battleship.

Anyone interested in singing, dancing, costuming, set design. makeup, lighting, all aspects of production is invited to participate. For more information call Ann Carroll at 846-3202, ext. 215.

Folk dancing workshop begins in Dublin Monday

A 12-session teacher workshop on folk dancing and singing game activities will be taught by Millie VonKonsky beginning Monday, Jan. 13, at the Dublin Elementary School auditorium.

The workshop is open to primary and elementary teachers, and may be taken for two credits from California State University at Hayward. fee for the course is $38.50 which includes the cost of printed materials used.

Employing accessories such as sticks, hoops and parachutes, the class will explore folk dancing, movement and rhythmic activities for the primary and elementary child.

Mrs. VonKonsky initiated a teacher-training program in folk dancing and related subjects which has been duplicated in five state colleges.

Jan. 28, Mrs. VonKonsky will conduct a one-session CAHPER workshop at California State University at Hayward. Registration for the class which will run from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. may be made at the door.

Diablo Light Opera offers Desert Song

Diablo Light Opera Company is forecasting warm desert breezes in the midst of winter for the opening of its spring production March 7 at the Walnut Creek Civic Arts Theater.

"The Desert Song," featuring choreographer Don Wilson, and musical director Nico Snel Jr., will run each weekend, Friday and Saturday at 8:30 p.m., from March 7 through April 19. Sunday matinees at 2:30 p.m. will play March 23 and April 6

Director Rhoda Klitsner believes that "The Desert Song" has snmething for everyone:

"Our production boasts the glorious and familiar music of Sigmund Romberg, beautiful sets and costumes, comedy, romantic choral numbers, a military marching song, and exotic belly dancing."

Reservations at $3.25 to $3.75 are available from the CA Theater at 933-5151 or 939-0355. Special rates for groups of 25 or more are available through Jan Berzins at 933-1751.

THE PRIVATE EAR

....Clay Kallam

I guess it finally had to happen.

After nearly a decade of touring rock and roll bands whose main claims to fame were an inability to read music and a positive affinity for destruction of ear drums, hotels and their own bodies, a band has emerged that is truly different.

Musically, Bachman-Turner Overdrive is in the tradition of heavy metal pop with a collection of songs designed to sell lots of 45s to 12 year olds, but the group is startingly different in its attitude to travel.

Would you believe no groupies, no alcohol and, unbelievable as it may sound, no drugs

The group candidly admits that it's in the business for the money. The quality of music is important in that it must sell and the band tries to give a good show each time out.

However, this exemplary regimen has its good and bad sides.

First, on the positive side, fans will not be treated to the spectacle of a Joe Cocker tossing his cookies between the amps after a particularly drunk and depressing song. The fans are guaranteed the best the musicians have to offer on a given night.

And of course it's nice to find a rock group that doesn't claim that beer or cocaine or marijuana or heroin is the key to its success. There are other ways to make it in the rock world, apparently, and it's nice to hear about.

However, it is also sort of sad.

Rock and roll has become grown up at last. This band, which is competent, is in it for the bucks. They make no bones about it — they produce music that will sell.

They entertain a crowd, as well, but some of the glamor is gone. You know these guys aren't going to get involved in a whipped cream and walnut orgy in the hotel with ten 15 year olds of both sexes.

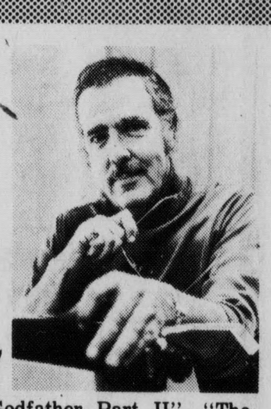
Drug dealers can no longer count on getting well when the newest band hits town with an entourage of 100 roadies and assorted hangers - on.

Maybe it's just advancing age. Frank Sinatra no longer punches out photographers with the same elan because he's over the hill(in more ways than one) and perhaps rock and roll is just maturing.

Maturity means a lot of things, including consistency, stability and fairly good quality, but adolescence is a lot more exciting.

Rock and roll has come of age — for better or for worse.

SETTING THE SCENE



Bill Hayden

UNFORTUNATELY IT'S TIME to settle down to picking our 'best' films and performances for 1974 in preparation for the Academy Awards.

I say unfortunately because this is one of those years when you wish the whole system would just go away. Commercial aspects, however, preclude such drastic action, so it is necessary to dig among the dabs and drabs to find something worthy of honorable mention.

Everything seems to be relative. Ineptness and lack of decision on the national political scene seems to filter through the arts as well as the economy. There were several adequate performances and a couple of good films, but hardly anything that would stand out even in an inadequate crowd.

Distribution seems to have gone from erotic to erratic and most of the films on anyone's 10-best lists have not played at a grass-roots level. This, of course, is of small account to those who really decide such things as best performances or best pictures. These things are decided by a restricted membership of peers in the Academy and the public is never privy to any decisions.

It has been nice, in the past however, to at least have seen the product and players in contention. At one time, this could be done by attending your local cinema. In spite of an increase in the number of theatres and a decrease in the number of motion pictures, most of the general public - unless you consider those in metropolitan areas as the only public - have an opportunity to see the films up for awards.

As I have noted, this is really not a major factor in selection, but it has, in the past, allowed for some pleasing conversation among the film addicts or general savage argument between dedicated devotees.

Charles Champlin , of the Los Angeles Times, selects the following as his 10-best for the year: "Chinatown", "The Conversation", "Day for Night". "The Gambler", "The Godfather Part II", "The Parallax View", "The Pedestrian", "Scenes From a Marriage", "The Towering Inferno" and "A Woman Under the Influence". Out of this number only four have played at the Vine Theatres in Livermore.

Rex Reed has gone on record as approving of the following: "Scenes From a Marriage", "Chinatown", "The Apprenticeship of Duddy Kravitz", "A Woman Under the Influence", "The Conversation", "Hearts and Minds", "That's Entertainment", "Lacombe, Lucien", "Murder on the Orient Express" and "Les Violons du Bal". From this list I can find only three that have played at the Vine.

This is not to fault the Livermore cinemas for neglecting us by not showing this select product. A lot of the pictures are 'foreign' (not necessarily a dirty word) and they would have a minimal impact on local boxoffice. Others were released in the showcase areas during December just in time to qualify for 1974 awards. There hasn't been time for our management to arrange bookings. Then, of course, there is that old debbil commerce. Most producers hold back until to arrange bookings.

Then, of course, there is that old debbil commerce. Most producers hold back until the last moment with their biggies so they can get them qualified to win; get their awards from the immediate peerage, and then cash in on the results of all the hullaballoo created by the awards ceremonies.

Never having been a 'message' man, I have to list my choices from what I've seen locally. There just aren't ten for me to name although I do a lot of moviegoing. The Hayden view includes: "That's Entertainment", "The Three Musketeers", "Young Frankenstein", "Airport 1975" and "Chinatown".

Even these five are not really definitive because none of them were entirely satisfactory as a whole piece except "That's Entertainment"

For example, there are some marvelous moments of tension and suspense in "Airport 1975" that almost get blown away in a blizzard of suds from the soap opera plotting.

"Chinatown", which could have been brilliant satire, got bogged down in a lurid misconception of the era it pretends to depict. There were those I know and whose opinion I respect who professed to love it, so all this can only boil down to a series of personal opinions or recommendations.

The film I really enjoyed the most in 1974 was "The Three Musketeers". There may have been a lot wrong with it (one critic has it on his list of 10-worst pictures of the year) but from an audience standpoint there was much in its favor as entertainment and good fun.

Dumas may be twirling in his grave, but his masterly comic pastiche holds up even under a 'Lester' adaption and Charlton Heston may still be playing Moses instead of Cardinal Richelieu, but over all, "The Three Musketeer" was much fun. This is a big plus when overwhelming trials and tribulations beset the average movie fan. These problems should be diminished at a happy box office and with considerable laughter at the end title.

TELEVISION LISTINGS

Thurs., Jan. 9

8:00 A.M.
5-10—Capt. Kangaroo
7-13—A.M. America
40—Speed Racer

8:30 A.M.
2—Romper Room
40—Munsters

9:00 A.M.
2—Joker's Wild
3-4—Celebrity Sweepstakes
5—Kathryn Crosby
9—Sesame Street
10—At Nine on Ten
13—Morning Scene
40—Dennis the Menace

9:30 A.M.
2—Donna Reed
3-4—Wheel of Fortune
5-10—Gambit
40—Jack LaLanne

10:00 A.M.
2—Movies:
Mon: "Relentless"
Tues: "A Face in the Rain"
Wed: "Alcatraz Express"
Thurs: "Trottie True"
Fri: "Clash by Night"
3-4—High Rollers
5-10—Now You See It
9—Electric Company
13—Hazel
40—Movies:
Mon: "The Great Garrick"
Tues: "Ride the Wild Surf"
Wed: "Rampage of Apache Wells"
Thurs: "Fourteen Hours"
Fri: "Gentlemen Jim"

10:30 A.M.
3-4—Hollywood Squares
5-10—Love of Life
7—Brady Bunch
13—Jeannie

11:00 A.M.
3-4—Jackpot!
5-10—Young and the Restless
7-13—Money Maze
36—Public Affairs
44—Not For Women Only

11:30 A.M.
3-4—Blank Check
5-10—Search For Tomorrow
7-13—Big Showdown
36—Yoga
44—Newstalk

12:00 NOON
2—Big Valley
3-4-5-10—News
7-13—Password All Stars
9—Yoga with Lilias
36—Movies:
Mon: "Zorro, Marquis of Navarra"
Tues: "The King's Prisoner"
Wed: "Journey to the 7th Planet"
Thurs: "Invasion of the Neptune Men"
Fri: "Invasion of the Star Creatures"
40—Dealer's Choice
44—Zoo Revue

12:30 P.M.
3-4—Days of Our Lives
5-10—As the World Turns
7-13—Split Second
9—Washington Week
40—Barbara Walters
44—Tennessee Tuxedo

1:00 P.M.
2—Movies:
Mon: "Return of the Texan"
Tues: "Address Unknown"
Wed: "Life & Death of Colonel Blimp"
Thurs: "Life & Death of Colonel Blimp" Part 2
Fri: "Bus Stop"
3-4—Doctors
5-10—Guiding Light
7-13—All My Children
40—Movies:
Mon: "The Diary of Anne Frank"
Tues: "The Diary of Anne Frank" Part 2
Wed: "Shoot Loud, Louder . . . I Don't Understand"
Thurs: "That Man George"
Fri: "The Thin Red Line"
44—Gomer Pyle

1:30 P.M.
3-4—Another World
5-10—Edge of Night
7-13—Let's Make a Deal
44—Beverly Hillbillies

2:00 P.M.
5-10—Price Is Right
7-13—$10,000 Pyramid
36—Mike Douglas

2:30 P.M.
3—Lucy
4—Somerset
5-10—Match Game
7-13—One Life to Live
40—News
44—Yogi Bear

3:00 P.M.
2—Porky & Friends
3—Bewitched
4—How to Survive a Marriage
5—What's My Line?
7-13—General Hospital
10—Dinah!
40—Cap'n Mitch
44—Banana Splits

3:30 P.M.
2—Gilligan's Island
3—Movies:
Mon: "Brainstorm"
Tues: "Petulia"
Wed: "Boy Ten Feet Tall"
Thurs: "55 Days at Peking"
Fri: "55 Days at Peking" Part 2
4—Dick Van Dyke
5—Concentration
7—Movies:
Mon: "The Quiller Memorandum"
Tues: "The Deadly Affair"
Wed: Vision On
Thurs: "The Spy Who Came in from the Cold"
Fri: "The Spy Who Came in from the Cold" Part 2
13—Merv Griffin
36—Millionaire
40—Flintstones
44—Popeye

4:00 P.M.
2—Batman
4—Merv Griffin
5-10—Mike Douglas
9—Sesame Street
36—Movies:
Mon: "Any Number Can Win"
Tues: "California"
Wed: "Cry of the Bewitched"
Thurs: "Ali Baba & the 40 Thieves"
Fri: "Barrier of the Law"
40—Partridge Family
44—Flintstones

4:30 P.M.
2—Jeannie
13—Raymond Burr
40—Superman

5:00 P.M.
2—Bonanza
7—News
9—Misterogers
40—Mod Squad
44—Three Stooges

5:30 P.M.
3-4-10-13—News
5—Dealer's Choice
9—Villa Alegre
44—Little Rascals

6:00 P.M.
2—Love, American Style
3-4-5-7-10-13—News
9—Electric Company
36—Movie: "Mighty Joe Young"
40—Star Trek
44—Wild, Wild West

6:30 P.M.
2—Bewitched
9—Open Studio
13—Let's Make A Deal

7:00 P.M.
2-40—FBI
4-13—Truth or Consequences
5-7-9—News
10—Concentration
44—Hogan's Heroes

7:30 P.M.
3—Seven Thirty
4—Jeopardy
5—New Treasure Hunt
7-10—Hollywood Squares
13—To Tell the Truth

8:00 P.M.
2—College Basketball
3-4—Special: Of Women and Men
5-10—Special: Rikki - Tikki - Tavi
7-13—Special: Adventure in America
9—To Be Announced
36—Movie: "The Sainted Sisters"
40—Movie: "GI Blues"
44—Best of Groucho

8:30 P.M.
5-10—The Waltons
44—Dinah!

9:00 P.M.
7-13—Streets of San Francisco
9—Movie: "Sanjuro"

9:30 P.M.
5-10—Special: Benjamin Franklin: The Rebel

10:00 P.M.
2-40—News
7-13—Harry O
36—Merv Griffin
44—Avengers

10:30 P.M.
40—Outdoor Scene

11:00 P.M.
2—Bilko
3-4-5-7-9-10-13—News
40—Sixth Sence
44—Best of Groucho

11:30 P.M.
2—Untouchables
3-4—Johnny Carson
5—Movie: "Machine Gun McCain"
7—Wide World Special
10—Movie: "Devil's Angels"
13—It Takes A Thief
36—Movie: "On Dangerous Ground"
40—Night Gallery
44—Movie: "Jezebel"

12:00 MIDNIGHT
36-40—Movies All Night

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... SO PROMISE MOTHER YOU WON'T SPILL ANYTHING!
DON'T WORRY, I'LL KEEP MY MOUTH SHUT!
MOOSE MILLER
WOW!... LOOK AT 'EM ALL, MOOSE!! THAT NEW DUCK CALL OF YOURS REALLY WORKS!
YEP!... EVER SINCE I BACKED THE CAR OVER MY TUBA!
BOB WEBER
CAMPUS CLATTER
I GOT ANOTHER "A" FROM PROFESSOR COMO!
ISN'T HE THE ONE THAT WAS FLUNKING YOU, BIMO?
NOT SINCE I TOLD HIM MY OLD MAN WORKS FOR THE SYNDICATE!
I HOPE HE NEVER FINDS OUT THAT IT'S THE KIND THAT SELLS NEWSPAPER FEATURES!
PRISCILLA'S POP
YOUR FATHER INSISTS ON REAL BUTTER, HAZEL!
HE SAYS HIS MOUTH IS NO PLACE FOR SUBSTITUTES OF ANY KIND!
EXCEPT, OF COURSE, HIS TEETH!!
SHORT RIBS
WE PRIDE OURSELVES ON FRESH-CAUGHT SEAFOOD!
FRANK AND ERNEST
UNEMPLOYMENT OFFICE
I KNEW THE WORLD DIDN'T OWE ME A LIVING, BUT I WAS KIND OF HOPING THAT AMALGAMATED CHEMICALS DID.
THAVES

FAMILY CIRCUS

"PJ's ball rolled under your bed, but I got it for him."

CROSSWORD

Travel Talk

Answer to Previous Puzzle

ACROSS
1 Land of the Incas
5 River in New Mexico
9 — Moines, Iowa
12 Shakespearean stream
13 Oriental plants
14 Dutch city
15 Preparedness
17 Prevaricate
18 Was mistaken
19 Studio
21 Genuine
23 Large cask
24 Art (Latin)
27 Too
29 Tidy
32 Revolve
34 Treat sumptuously
36 Click beetle
37 Mountain ridges
38 Dismounted
39 Head (Fr.)
41 Take food
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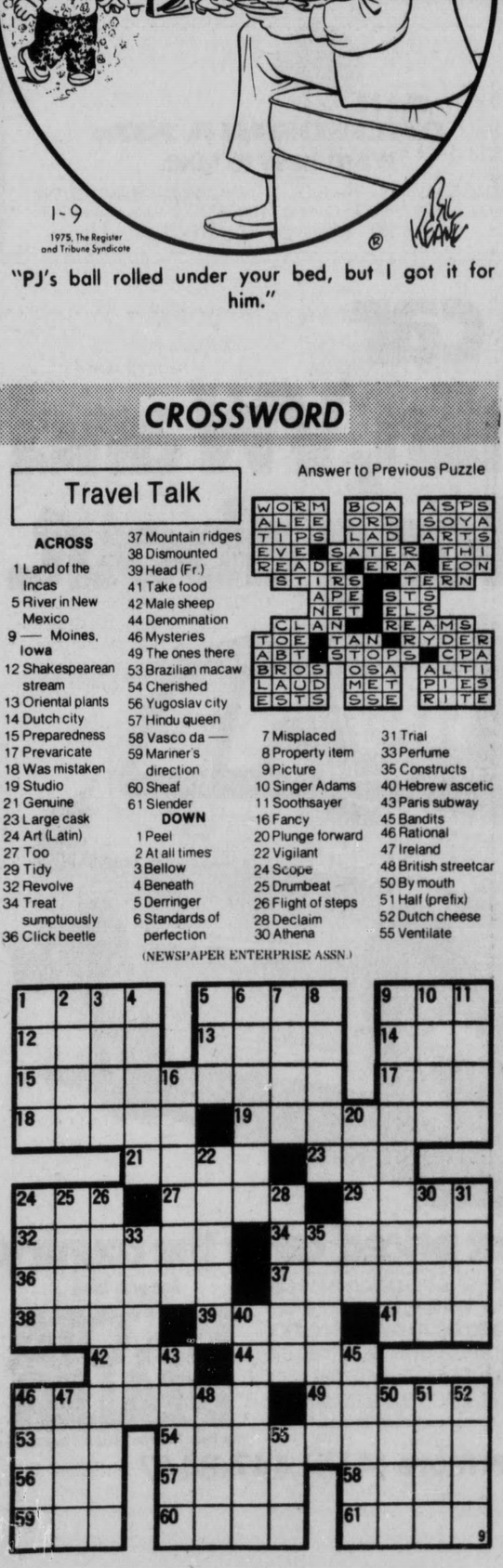

astrograph

by Bernice Bede Osol

For Thursday, Jan. 9, 1975

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Instructions you'll be issuing won't be followed exactly, unless you keep tabs on things, step-by-step.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Keep everything out in the open in dealings now or you're going to make a faulty decision trying to cover up.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Partnership situations are tricky today. You could be pressured into doing something against your better judgment.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Devote your full attention to what you're doing if working with your hands, expecially if some sharp instrument is required.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) You will be a little too insistent on having your own way. This won't earn many points for you from your mate.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Don't be sharp or domineering with those preforming a service for you if you expect it to be done efficiently.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Be unusually mindful of your possessions or a prized article may get lost or damaged through your carelessness.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) If you shake things up too much in a business matter, you're going to shave some of the benefits as well.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Your attention span isn't all it should be. You're apt to start several things you won't complete till much later.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Be careful not to be taken advantage of again by a self-serving friend who always leaves you on the short end.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) You're going to be let down by someone on whom you're relying to do something for you. Have a back-up plan.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Don't let unimportant issues sidetrack you from your main theme now. Keep one goal in mind at a time.

your birthday

Jan. 9, 1975

Be alert this year for opportunities coming through associates and friends. However, before you put any money into anything, get the best advice.

WIN AT BRIDGE

Trick in hand for the birds

	NORTH 9 ♠ K 3 ♥ J 10 7 ♦ K 7 2 ♣ J 9 7 4 3	
WEST ♠ 8 6 5 ♥ 6 5 2 ♦ Q J 10 5 ♣ K 10 2		EAST ♠ 7 2 ♥ K Q 9 4 ♦ A 9 8 6 3 ♣ 8 5
	SOUTH ♠ A Q J 10 9 4 ♥ A 8 3 ♦ 4 ♣ A Q 6	

Neither vulnerable

West	North	East	South
			1 ♠
Pass	1 N.T.	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

Opening lead—Q ♦

By Oswald & James Jacoby

A bird in the hand is known to be worth two in the bush, but a trick in the hand is not always worth even one.

West's queen of diamonds held the first trick and he continued the suit. South ruffed, cashed his ace of spades, led a spade to dummy's king, played a low club and finessed his queen.

West couldn't wait to pounce on that trick with his king. After all, a bird in the hand, etc. He pounced and that was his side's last trick.

"Wouldn't I have looked silly if South had started with ace-queen doubleton in clubs instead of ace-queen-small?" said West.

He sure would have looked silly, but if South had been dealt just two clubs he probably would have led out the ace and then the queen before using dummy's king of spades. Furthermore, East had played the eight of clubs and South could have been sure that eight was either a singleton (in which case no defense would work), or that East was starting a high-low echo and that king of clubs trick would never get away.

(NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.)

♥♠CARD Sense♦♣

The bidding has been: 9

West	North	East	South
			1 ♣
Pass	1 ♥	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	?

You, South, hold:
♠ K 7 6 4 3 ♥ A 2 ♦ 9 ♣ A K 7 3 2
What do you do now?

A—Bid four spades. Only a coward would stop short of game on this bidding sequence.

TODAY'S QUESTION

Instead of bidding three diamonds your partner has raised you to three spades. What do you do now?

Answer Tomorrow

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Matador wrestlers turn back Gaels in opener

By MIKE ZAMPA

Dublin High nurtured upset hopes right down to the final two matches, but Ron Freeman's third period pin kept Granada unbeaten in dual meet wrestling.

The Matadors defeated the Gaels, 31-27, last night at their EBAL opener in Livermore.

The victory keeps Granada plans for a dual meet championship on track. Faced with only a five-meet schedule, Dublin's title hopes are already dim.

Heading into the 191 pound match, the Gaels needed back-to-back pins to overtake the Mats. But Freeman dropped Dublin's Bob Klein just 18 seconds into the final period to seal the victory.

Matador Mark McGowan forfeited his heavyweight match to preserve an injured hand.

Dublin fell behind 15-0 after three matches, and the rest of the night faced deficits that ranged from six to 16 points.

Sergio Lopez' pin at 165 backed Dublin into a corner at 31-15. The Gaels' Kevin Dugan, facing a must-pin situation, recorded a fall over Steve Jaeger with 13 seconds left in the first period. But Freeman followed with his pin, boosting Granada's dual meet record to 8-0.

Brett Nadeau, 95 pounds, Bart McNaughton, 103, and Jim Laflin, 145, all pinned opponents for Granada.

Art Gorow, 127 pounds, had Dublin's other pin.

The Gaels' Ken Fleming won the night's only controversial decision, an 8-7 thriller over Terry Moxon, at 138 pounds. Fleming's reversal in the final half minute tied the score at 7-7. He won it with four seconds left, when Moxon was called for stalling.

GRANADA 37, DUBLIN 27

95 — Nadeau, G, pinned Riggs, :06 first; 103 — McNaughton, G, Pinned Yu, :17 third; 112 — Fuller, G, d. Davide, 8-1; 120 — Sullivan, D, d. J. McGowan, 4-0; 127 — Gorow, D, pinned Stayton, 1:29 third; 133 — Texeira, G, d. Lukecart, 14-4; 138 — Fleming, D, d. Moxon, 8-7; 145 — Laflin, G, pinned Blake, 1:18 second; 154 — Buckowatz, D, d. Conrad, 8-3; 165 — Lopez, G, pinned Anderson, :36 third; 175 — Dugan, D, pinned Jaeger, :13 first; 191— Freeman, G, pinned Klein, 1:42 third; Hwt — Galant, D, won by forfeit

Pleasanton umps needed

The Pleasanton American Little League is seeking umpires for the 1975 baseball season. A training program will be conducted under the direction of R. Clemons. Call 846-6801 or 846-8555.

Earthquakes get ready for indoor

The San Jose Earthquakes have announced that tickets for the North American Soccer League Indoor Season are on sale at all Bay Area Seating Service (BASS) ticket agencies.

The Quakes open the Cow Palace indoor slate on Friday, Feb. 7 against the Dallas Tornado and Kyle Rote Jr. That 8 p.m. game has been billed as the "Calamity Cup" indicative of the nicknames of the two teams.

On the following Friday, the Earthquakes will host the 1974 NASL champion Los Angeles Aztecs in a bout for the California title.

On Feb. 21 and 23, the NASL Western Regional Indoor Playoffs will be held at the Cow Palace, with Seattle, Los Angeles and Vancouver joining San Jose for the right to participate in the NASL National Semi-finals. Two games are scheduled each evening, beginning at 7 p.m. Friday, Feb. 21 and at 6:30 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 23.

The National Semi-finals will be Friday, March 14 at the Cow Palace with the four semi-finalists meeting in another two-game evening starting at 7 p.m.

Sunday, March 16, the National Championship game will be played at 6:30 p.m. at the Cow Palace.

Ticket prices for the indoor are as follows: midfield reserved - $4.75; sideline reserved - $3.25 (adults) and $2 (under 21); endline reserved - $2 (adults) and $1 (under 21). Also available is the family plan, where a family of four (two adults and two youths) may purchase sideline reserved seats for a total of $8.50. Outlets include Pacific Stereo and Discount Record Stores.

The schedule:

Dallas, Friday, Feb. 7, 8 p.m.

Los Angeles, Friday, Feb. 14, 8 p.m.

NASL Western Regional, (two games), Friday, Feb. 21, 7 p.m.

NASL Western Regional, finals (two games), Sunday, Feb. 23, 6:30 p.m.

NASL Cup Semi-finals, (two games), Friday, March 14, 7 p.m.

NASL Cup Final, Sunday, March 16, 6:30 p.m.

Gordillo's starves the Warriors

Gordillo's New York Life threw a defensive web around the Warriors and snared a 61-17 victory in Livermore recreation basketball Monday night.

The Warriors trailed at halftime, 30-10, and were checked on just seven points in the second half.

Mike Willis led Gordillo's offensive charge with 14 points. Teammate Joe Benjamin scored 13.

In other action, Pizza Arcade trounced Lloyd's Bank, 70-43. Ted Anderson of the Arcade had a game-high 24 points. Teammate Fred Barrett scored 16. and Bill Way 14. Ken Murray had 10. Art Strupe had 12 points for the losers.

Times Sports

MIKE ZAMPA, editor

Groth's 234 earns Century bowl award

Junior bowler Billy Groth, 15, earned a Youth Bowling Assoc. Century Award last week at Granada Bowl to spice a week of high scores in winter league competition.

Groth, a 120 average bowler, sizzled with a 234 game to capture the award.

In the Classic League, Joe Ferrau bowled a 660 series, including a 267 final game.

Bob Fanucchi of the Reno League rolled a 682 series with a 245 series, and Naoma Moreno reached 601 with a 234 game.

Roger Busbee's 258-648 totals led the Men's Classic. Following was Dave Mann at 225-640. Mike Thut opened with a 255 game, and wound up at 630.

In Sandia competition, Don Starkey and Paul Dominguez battled, with Starkey posting a 626 series. His high game was 234. Dominguez rolled a 613 set, and hit a 246 high game.

Gladys Liddell paced the Sunrisers with 203-566 totals.

Blue Chip — Doug Gaylord, 201-536; Marlees Carter, 165-469

Parker Research — T. Mochaida, 213-545; C. Mitchell, 169—451

Sunday Swooners — George Waigo, 216-579; Ethel Wargo, 179-501

Reno — Bob Fanuccni, 245-682; Naoma Moreno, 234-601

8 Across — Kaz Pils, 201-542; Lori Peterson, 169-475

Calamity Janes — Barb Lucero, 199-537; Nancy Freeman, 191-450

Swingers — Rick Norwood, 199-577; Alice Ott, 205-502

Bowling Belles — Sandy Hearn, 197-571; Beth Tolman, 201-532

VA — Dennis Westling, 200-567; Lori Pao, 183-490

Sandia — Don Starkey, 234-626; Paul Dominguez, 246-613

Blue Chip Trio — Jane Lee, 187-519; Thais Peacock, 202-514

Sunrisers — Gladys Liddell, 203-566; Bable, Cranmer, 191-534

Senior Citizens — Ed Schmidt, 186-507; Ginger Hastings, 150-424

Savings Bond — Eleanor Sage, 188-489; Dottie Dance, 168-481

Granada Invitational — Dee Rutledge, 190—546; Barb Hildebrand, 208 - 566; Pat Holfeltz, 191-546

Blup Chip Trio — Brenda Smith, 173-390; Phyllis Rutledge, 178-480

City Employes — Pat O'Shea, 201-565; Sue Beach, 191-485

Valley 800 — Herb Smith, 203-569; Bob Koopman, 228-561

Gael, Mat booters at it again

For the third time this season Dublin High and Amador Valley will face off in soccer with an EBAL match at 3 p.m. today in Dublin.

The defending co-champion Dons will be looking for their first victory this year against the Gaels. Their success may depend on an improved offense.

Dublin opened its league schedule with a 3-1 triumph over Amador in Pleasanton, and followed with a 3-0 whitewash of the Dons at Moreau's Holiday Tournament.

There is no sign that the Dublin defense is weakening either. It shut out San Ramon Tuesday, 6-0, yielding a single shot at goal.

San Ramon goes in search of its first victory of the year today in a 3 p.m. match at Granada's Max Baer Park.

The Wolves are winless in four contests, and have scored just six times.

Granada has two victories and a tie, and can break out of a third place deadlock with Monte Vista by winning today.

Dublin can claim sole possession of first place if it continues its domination of Amador. The Gaels are tied with Livermore for the top spot, but the Cowboys play a non-league contest at Mt. Eden today, therefore can't advance in the standings.

Livermore frosh win

Livermore High's frosh basketball team got the EBAL season off to a good start Tuesday night as they smashed California, 61-40.

Dickie Patterson led the Cowboys with 11 points, as the 'Pokes got off to a 25-16 halftime lead and never faltered.

The win boosts Livermore's season record to 2-1.

Manduca's in pee wee victory

Nancy and Bobby Manduca became the only out-of-towners to win in the Livermore Jaycees Bowling Tournament last weekend, capturing the pee wee division on the final day of play.

The Manduca's rolled a 1183 total to eclipse Dan Brown and Jon Silva who checked in at 1177.

In the first division, Janet and James Minter came out on top with a 1264, topping Jim French and Brian Barrett by nine pins.

Steve Moore and Steve Cox won division two with a 1271 score, and Charlie Frager Sr. and Jr. captured the third division at 1181.

Division one — Janet and Jim Minter, 1264; Jim French, Brian Barrett, 1255; Steve Moore, Jim Minter, 1248; Rene Drumtra, Jim Minter, 1226; Greg and Jeff Williams, 1221

Division two — Steve Moore, Steve Cox, 1271; Betty Raper, Debbie Campion, 1267; Don Starkey, Brandon Manrow, 1254; Guy Deming, Frank Motzkus, 1231; Hanafi Fuerst, Tony Fuerst, 1215

Division three — Charlie Frager, Sr. and Jr., 1191; John Chandler, Ray Ogden, 1181; Bob Lloyd, Robin Mitchell, 1173; Don Knaple, Greg Webb, 1152; Millard, Lilan Durham, 1145

Division four — Nancy and Bobby Manduca, 1183; Dan Brown, Jon Silva, 1177; Rene Drumtra, Bobbie Fanucchi, 1138; Gracie Pereira, Denvelle Cardoza, 1110; Marcey Crowley, Shaun Crowley, 1100

Bobby Sox signup soon

Pleasanton Bobby Sox Softball will hold player signups on three dates, beginning a week from Saturday.

On Jan. 18 and Feb. 1, signups will be from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Pleasanton Aquatic Center on Black Ave. Jan. 29, signups will be from 7 to 9 p.m. at Walnut Grove School multi-purpose room.

Girls born between Sept. 1 1959 and Aug. 31 1966 are eligible. A parent must accompany a girl at the signups.

Signup fees are $8 per girl or $15 per family.

For information, call 462-3508 or 846-1578.

Heavy match gives SR close win over Mustangs

By DAVE WEBER

Heavyweight Rich Wright pinned Monte Vista's Babe Kolbus 1:15 into the final match of the evening to give San Ramon a narrow 27-26 win in the EBAL wrestling opener for both teams last night at Monte Vista.

The lead changed hands seven times during the dual meet between the crosstown rivals, however it was not until the final three weight divisions that the action got heavy.

In the 177 pound match, Mike Weinshelbaum, one of three second-line wrestlers Monte Vista was forced to use due to illness or injury, brought the Mustangs to within one with a somewhat surprising pin of Guy Biaocchi at 28 seconds of the second round.

Casey Merrill, winner of three preseason tournaments for MV, then gave the Mustangs their biggest lead of the night, as he pinned Will Bawien at the 1:05 mark of the first fall.

But the lead was short-lived, as Wright quickly dispatched Kolbus.

Two of Monte Vista's top performers turned in rather disappointing efforts.

Senior Todd Rambo did win his match over Steve Ramos. But, despite letting the Wolf sophomore up intentionally on several occasions in order to pile up more points, Rambo fell short of a superior decision, picking up his 35th consecutive dual meet win, 9-2.

Bart Wooten, at 154 pounds, was able to salvage only a tie in his match with Mark Voegli. The match, considered by many to be the highlight of the evening, was marred by the fact that Wooten is still recovering from a bout with the flu.

Wooten, winner of 71 of his last 75 matches, picked up a takedown in the closing seconds of the first round to lead, 2-0. Voegli tied the score at the outset of the next fall, but Wooten quickly regained the lead with an escape.

The MV star appeared to be on his way to a victory when he escaped to lead off the third round. However, Voegli took Wooten down midway through the period, bringing about the deadlock.

John Tjan picked up the Mustangs' other pin, flatbacking Mike Finerty with 1:07 elapsed in the match.

Only one superior decision was recorded during the course of the evening's activities. Jack Hart, San Ramon's 127 pound senior, outpointed Rob Overstreet by a huge 13-2 margin.

SAN RAMON 27, MONTE VISTA 26

95 — Sitts, SR, d. Pepi, 5-1; 103 — Halliday, MV, d. Shaver, 8-7; 112 — Rambo, MV, d. Ramos, 9-2; 120 — Hill, SR, d. Spina, 5-4; 127 — Hart, SR, d. Overstreet, 13-2; 133 — Tjan, MV, pinned Finerty, 1:07 first; 145 — McClenshaw, SR, d. Meyers, 12-11; 154 — draw, Wooten, MV, and M. Voegli, 4-4; 165 — D. Voegli, SR, d. Jamar, 5-1; 177 — Weinshelbaum, MV, pinned Biaocchi, :28 of second; 191 — Merrill, MV, pinned Bawelen, 1:05 first; Hwt. — Wright, SR, pinned Kolbus, 1:15 of first

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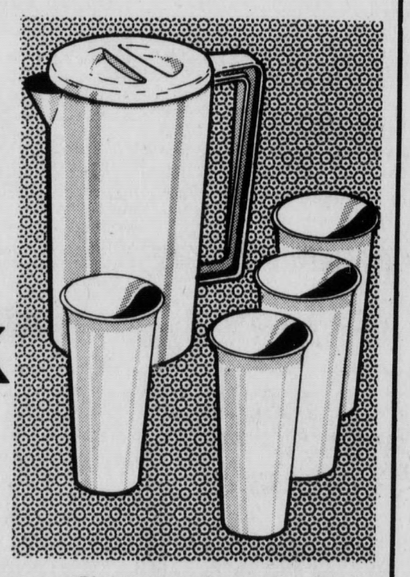

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DATELINE— The state and the nation

Sirica releases three convicted in Watergate break-in conspiracy

WASHINGTON (AP) — U.S. District Court Judge John J. Sirica ordered John W. Dean III, Jeb Stuart Magruder and Herbert W. Kalmbach released from prison Wednesday.

They had been serving sentences as a result of guilty pleas in Watergate - related crimes.

The U.S. marshal's office said all would be freed from custody by 5 p.m. EST.

Dean, formerly White House counsel to President Richard M. Nixon, began serving a one - to four - year term Sept. 3 after pleading guilty to a single count of conspiracy to obstruct justice.

Magruder, the former deputy director of the Committee for the Re - Election of the President, began a term of at least 10 months on June 4.

Kalmbach, a major Nixon fund - raiser and his former personal attorney, had pleaded guilty to violating campaign laws and one count of selling an ambassadorship in return for a political contribution. On July 1, he began serving a sentence of six to 18 months.

Kalmbach was the first released. He was in the special Watergate prosecuter's office at the time of the Sirica announcement and was freed from custody immediately.

Shortly after, he appeared in the office of his Washington attorney and read a prepared statement expressing "profound gratitude for the compassion of Judge Sirica and renewed appreciation and confidence in the essential fairness of American justice."

Kalmbach said he would join his family in Newport Beach, Calif., on Thursday.

Sirica had sentenced all three men.

His two - paragraph order releasing them did not give the reasons for ending the prison sentences.

The three men all had testified at the recent Watergate cover - up trial, which resulted in the conviction of John N. Mitchell, H.R. Haldeman, John D. Ehrlichman and Robert C. Mardian.

All three had applied for a reduction of sentence on varying grounds.

Oil workers 'talking'

Lesher News Bureau

Chances are oil workers in the county won't go out on strike this week as they're under orders to keep talking with oil companies.

But Oil Chemical and Atomic Workers Union Local 1-5 (OCAW) President Rex Cook said Wednesday the Martinez local is having a tough time keeping some union members from walking off the job.

He said there have been "borderline" incidents which could have resulted in wildcat strikes at Contra Costa's Shell Oil, Standard Oil and Phillips Petroleum refineries.

Wildcat strikes are already underway at the two Texaco and Gulf Oil refineries in Port Arthur, Texas.

Union spokesmen at national headquarters in Denver stress wildcat strikes are against the union constitution, but note, "We can't stand over them with a whip and make them work."

OCAW National President A.F. Grosperin said Tuesday that "we've got some progress in the wings. Some companies have indicated there is some more there and we're going to wait."

Consumer warning

Beware of those jobs in Alaska

The Bureau of Employment Agencies, Department of Consumer Affairs, has recently uncovered several situations where consumers are being bilked out of money for the promise of nonexistent jobs in Alaska.

Firms operate under several names and advertise that they are recruiting employees for jobs as truck drivers and other positions in the construction field in Alaska. The advertisements which have appeared in various newspapers in California, and other neighboring states, indicate that in addition to an outstanding salary, the employees will earn a daily subsistence, housing allowance, travel expenses and clothing allowance. Upon responding to the advertisement, victims are told that they qualify for a specific job — however, they are then told they will not be given the employer's name until they pay a $50 refundable deposit in the form of a cashier's check or money order to "weed out people who are not seriously considering employment."

The jobs are, of course, nonexistent and the victim has a difficult if not impossible task of securing a refund, since the only address he has is a post office box. The State of Alaska advises that many such hoaxes have been perpetrated nationwide since the approval for the construction of the Alaska pipeline was announced. Also, according to Alaskan officials, there are plenty of applicants for the few new jobs that are available and consumers should be extremely cautious in seeking employment in Alaska. More detailed information may be obtained by writing:

Labor Commissioner
Department of Labor
State of Alaska
P.O. Box 1149
Juneau, Alaska 99801

Job seekers should be advised that in no cases do employers charge fees for employment with their firms and licensed employment agencies must state their full name and address in all advertisements and may not charge a fee for any employment until after the employment is accepted. Anyone who has paid the $50 deposit for a position in Alaska or has any questions concerning licensed employment agencies should write:

Bureau of Employment Agencies
Department of Consumer Affairs
1020 N. Street
Sacramento, California 95814

Valley Births

LIVERMORE — Valley Memorial Hospital's maternity department announces the following recent births:

Dec. 30, Jon and Janice Brandt, 1636 Del Norte Court, Livermore, a boy; Dennis and Cheryl Schnabel, 347 Colleen St., Livermore, a girl.

Dec. 31, Norman and Louise Maghoney, 4430 Pleasanton Ave., Pleasanton, a girl; Frank and Valerie Seronello, 7480 Inverness St., San Ramon, a boy; Robert and Susan Voliva, 4549 Shearwater Road, Pleasanton, a girl.

Jan. 1, Gerard and Lydia de Bruin, 2742 Hogan Place, Livermore, and John and Christine Trowbridge, 8473 Valencia St., Dublin, boys.

Jan. 2, Allen and Jill Attebery, 1633 Second St., Livermore, and Mustafa Mohammad and Nahida Ilian, 4269 Pleasanton Ave., Pleasanton, boys.

Jan. 3, Louis and Martha Schopp, 1660 Highway 50, Pleasanton, a boy.

Jan. 4, Leo and Virginia Manning, 2272 Buena Vista Ave., Livermore, a girl.

Boys at John Muir Hospital, Walnut Creek, and girls at Eden in Castro Valley.

That was the way the baby biscuit crumbled recently when Valley couples delivered at those hospitals.

The boys born at Muir were produced by the following couples: Dec. 20, Val and Nita Mohler, 506 Shadow Mountain Place, San Ramon; Dec. 24, Charles and Donna Impey, Jr., 5210 Doolan Road, Livermore, and Richard and Jean Madrid, 3676 Cambridge Court, Pleasanton; Dec. 28, Richard and Sheila Bedard, 9887 Brunswick Way, San Ramon.

Parents of Eden Hospital's baby girls were: Dec. 20, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Steelman, 5098 Lynbrook Court, Pleasanton; Dec. 21, Mr. and Mrs. John Lynch, 7476 Brookdale Court, Dublin.

New safety-survival class in Livermore

LIVERMORE — How do you control serious bleeding?

What are the signs of drug abuse?

Can you properly splint a fracture?

How and when do you place flares at a highway emergency?

Can you give your child mouth-to-mouth resuscitation after a water immersion accident? What do you do when the fourteenth story of the building you're in fills with smoke?

Have you ever seen an emergency childbirth? Would you know what to do? Do you know the emergency number of your local fire department or where your electrical and gas shut off switches are located?

What is the most hazardous substance in your home? For answers to these and other important questions, register for a course called, "Safety and Survival" at the Livermore Adult Education office.

The course leads to Red Cross certification in Standard First Aid and Personal Safety. Your instructor will be David O'Connor of the Livermore Fire Department's Fire Prevention Bureau.

The class will meet on Thursdays from 7 to 10 p.m. Registration closes Jan. 17.

$1,200 doctor's office theft

LIVERMORE — Nearly twelve hundred dollars in medical equipment was stolen from the offices of Dr. Elwood C. Greist, 1050 Murrieta Blvd., over the weekend, according to police records.

The 51 year old general surgeon reported his patio office door pried open and $1162 in equipment taken in the weekend raid.

Radios and needles were not touched as the burglar or burglars made off with a microscope, a diagnostic otoscope, a stethoscope, two pairs of scissors, and forceps.

Medication is not kept on the premises.

Mayors host community development meeting

LIVERMORE — A Housing and Community Development Act workshop will be conducted at tonight's 6:30 Alameda County Mayor's Conference, hosted by the City of Livermore at the Emperor's Garden.

Speaking and moderating the workshop will be Floyd Hyde, former under secretary of HUD and presently senior vice president for Urban Affairs with McManis Associates.

The conference, which also will select a representative to the Bicentennial Celebration Commission and consider a conference budget for 1975, will be followed by a social hour and dinner at 7:30 p.m.

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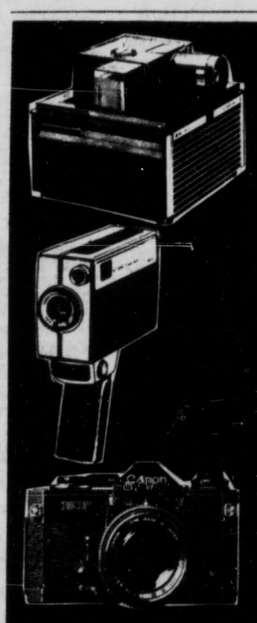
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FOUND: Germ. Shep. male, approx. 6 mo. Vic. Hopyard and Valley. 12-27. 846-6585.

LOST: Male black Poodle and male brown Lab. 12-31. Vic. Palomino Rd., Liv. 447-2574.

LOST — Ring. 4 diamonds, 3 opals. X-mas eve. in Pleas. Reward. 846-2123 evenings.

LOST — Afgan, apricot female. Missing since 12/22. Sunol vic. Reward. 862-2998.

LOST—Golden retriever, child's pet, reddish color, Pleas. area. 462-1849.

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92. Homes for Sale

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71. Office Stores (Rent)

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Chabot gears up for increasing enrollments

Chabot College is getting more popular than ever with Valley residents.

Although the new campus in Livermore won't open until March 31, more local adults than ever before are going to Chabot night classes held in Dublin, Amador and Granada High School buildings.

Valley enrollment for the winter quarter, which just began, stands at 1,411 students — 18.4 per cent higher than last year's figure for the same quarter.

Including its main campus in Hayward, which serves both day and evening students, Chabot's enrollment stands at 14,336 students. That's a 12.5 per cent jump over last year.

Late registration is expected to bring that total even higher, according to Chabot president Reed Buffington.

Meanwhile, work is moving ahead at the Valley campus site north of Interstate 580 in Livermore. Architect James Storm reported to the Chabot board Tuesday night "substantial progress" has been made on the campus since last month. All the roofing has been installed, concrete walks are in, and workmen are installing electrical facilities and proceeding ith the interiors of buildings.

A water line has been connected to the City of Livermore mainline and the irrigation system is being tested now.

The Valley campus' reading and writing lab may receive $10,000 worth of audio - visual equipment, if a proposal being drawn up by the Chabot staff receives funding from the National Defense Education Act. The Chabot board Tuesday night gave the staff permission to put in an application for the funds.

Turning their attention to broader issues, the Chabot board resolved to work toward a public transportation within the South County Joint Junior College District.

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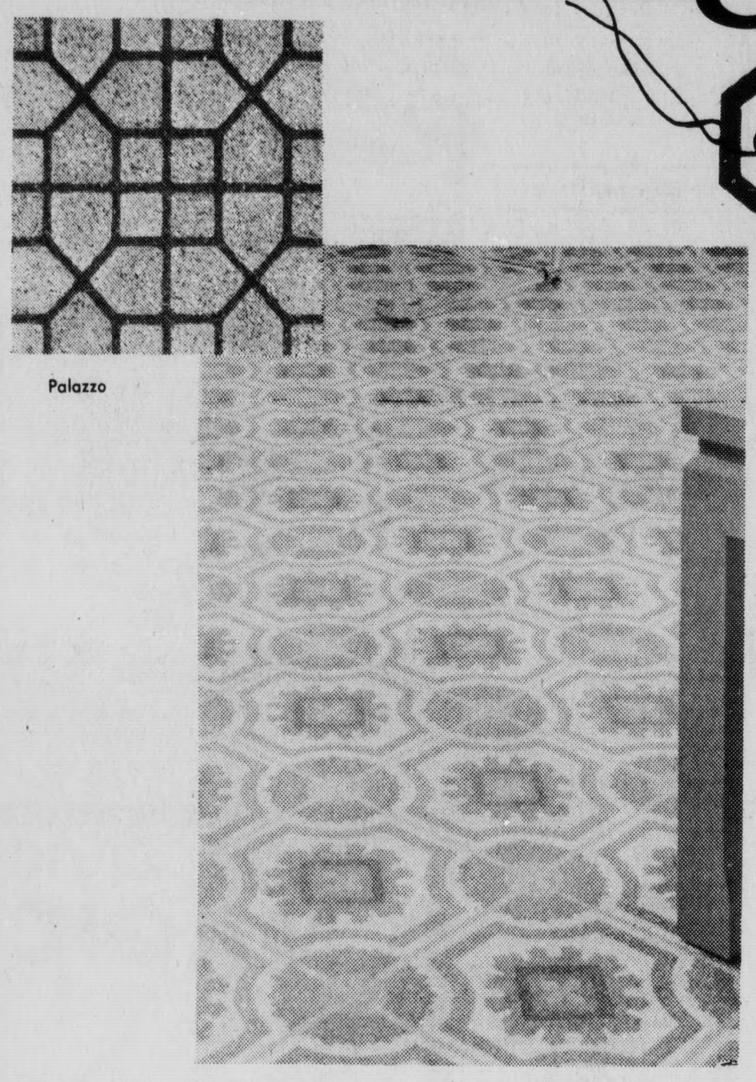

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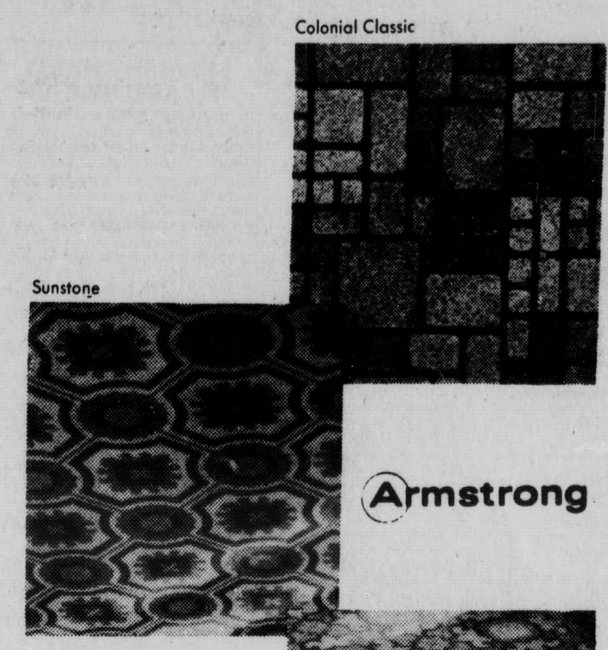

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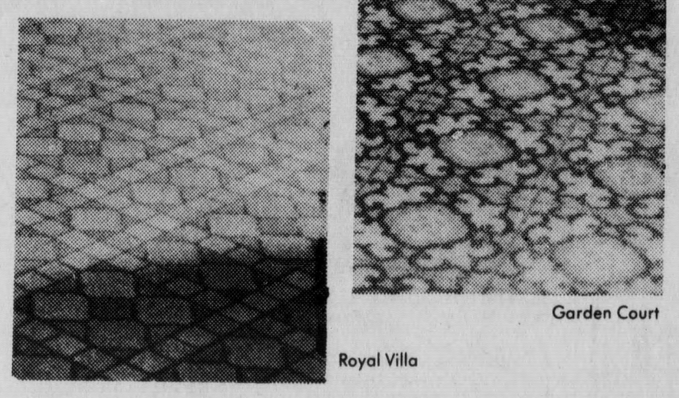

Royal Villa

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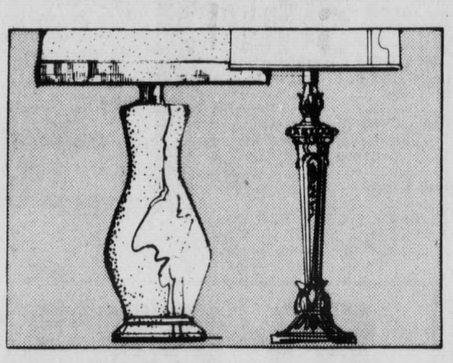
2-day sale of table lamps



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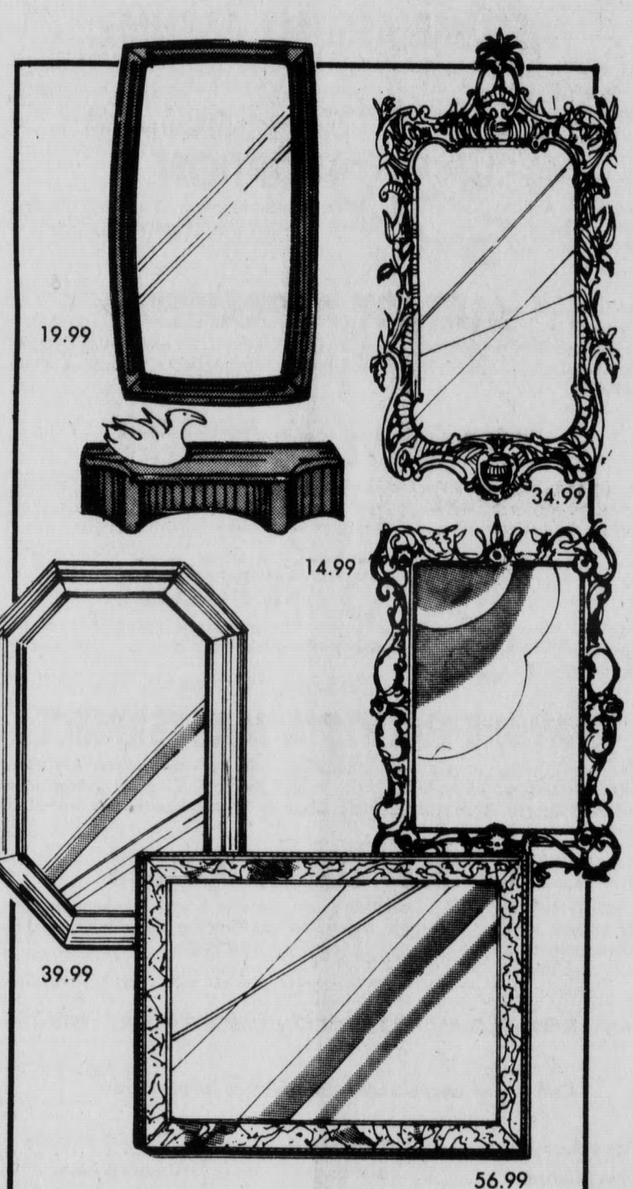

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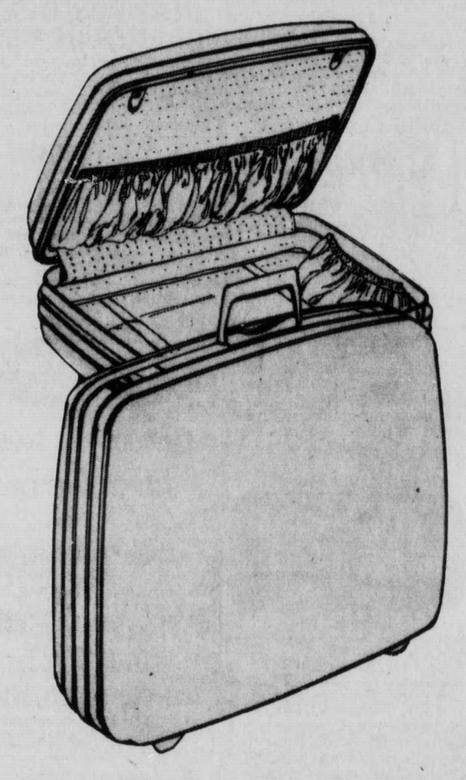
Capwell's Mirrors



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